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H.B. No. 1054

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to proportionality between state accountability  
3 performance indicators that apply to school districts and the  
4 State's share of the foundation school program for school  
5 districts.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

7 SECTION 1. Section 39.054, Education Code, is amended by  
8 adding Subsection (f) to read as follows:

9 (f) For purposes of evaluating school districts and campus  
10 performance under this section, the commissioner may not use  
11 state-required performance indicators in Section 39.053 in a  
12 proportion that exceeds the percentage of the State share of the  
13 Foundation School Program estimated in Section 42.001(c) in each  
14 fiscal year, and a school district may substitute locally selected  
15 or developed performance indicators.

16 SECTION 2. Section 42.001, Education Code, is amended by  
17 adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

18 (c) The General Appropriations Act shall include a  
19 Legislative Budget Board projection for each fiscal year of the  
20 percentage of State revenue sources that is estimated to constitute  
21 the State's share of the Foundation School Program for school  
22 districts statewide and of the percentage of local tax revenues  
23 that is estimated to constitute the local share of the Foundation  
24 School Program for school districts statewide, excluding federal

1 funds. In this section, the term "local tax revenues" includes  
2 revenue that a school district is required to transfer to the State  
3 to reduce the school district's wealth per student to the equalized  
4 wealth level, and the term "state revenue sources" does not include  
5 such revenue.

6 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.